

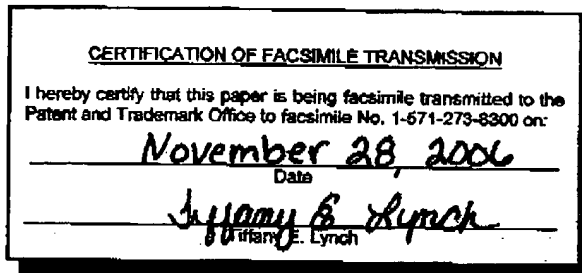
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AMENDMENT

25 Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

30 Responsive to the Office Action dated July 3, 2006, kindly amend the above-identified
patent application as follows: